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E.O.11652: GDS
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SUBJECT: ARRESTS OF TURKISH NATIONALS IN EAST GERMANY ON
NARCOTICS OFFENSES

1. TURKISH AMBASSADOR ERTUGRUL O. CIRAGAN MADE HIS
INITIAL COURTESY CALL ON ME ON AUGUST 30. IN THE COURSE
OF CONVERSATION, I INTRODUCED THE SUBJECT OF DRUG
TRAFFICKING IN GENERAL, AND THROUGH EAST GERMANY.
AMBASSADOR CIRAGAN VOLUNTEERED THAT AT LEAST THREE
TURKISH NATIONALS HAVE BEEN ARRESTED BY GDR AUTHORITIES
FOR THIS OFFENSE.
 2. WE MUTUALLY AGREED THAT EMBASSY NARCOTICS COORDINATOR
WOULD CALL ON TURKISH EMBASSY STAFF EMPLOYEE EARLY NEXT
WEEK FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON THIS MATTER, WHICH WILL
BE REPORTED ACCORDINGLY.
 3. BASED ON ABOVE, IT APPEARS THAT THE GDR AUTHORITIES
ARE WELL AWARE OF THIS PROBLEM AND ARE MAKING AN EFFORT TO
BRING IT UNDER CONTROL. BOLEN
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